

FOREIGN PRODUCERS' (PROCESSORS')/EXPORTERS' QUESTIONNAIRE
KOSHER CHICKEN FROM CANADA

Return completed questionnaire to:

UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

Office of Investigations, Room 615
500 E Street, SW, Washington, DC 20436

So as to be received by the Commission by no later than December 16, 2003

The information called for in this questionnaire is for use by the United States International Trade Commission in connection with its antidumping investigation concerning kosher chicken from Canada (inv. No. 731-TA-1062 (Preliminary)). The information requested in the questionnaire is requested under the authority of the Tariff Act of 1930, title VII.

Name of firm _____

Address _____

World Wide Web address _____

Has your firm processed or exported **kosher chicken** (as defined in the instruction booklet) since January 1, 2000?

☐

NO

(Sign the certification below and promptly return only this page of the questionnaire to the Commission)

☐

YES

(Read the instruction booklet carefully, complete all parts of the questionnaire, sign the certification, and return the entire questionnaire to the Commission)

CERTIFICATION

I certify that the information herein supplied in response to this questionnaire is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief and understand that the information submitted is subject to audit and verification by the Commission.

By signing this certification I also grant consent for the Commission, and its employees and contract personnel, to use the information provided in this questionnaire and throughout this investigation in any other import-injury investigations conducted by the Commission on the same or similar merchandise. (If you do not consent to such use, please note the certification accordingly.)

I acknowledge that information submitted in this questionnaire response and throughout this investigation may be used by the Commission, its employees, and contract personnel who are acting in the capacity of Commission employees, for developing or maintaining the records of this investigation or related proceedings for which this information is submitted, or in internal audits and investigations relating to the programs and operations of the Commission pursuant to 5 U.S.C. Appendix 3. I understand that all contract personnel will sign non-disclosure agreements.

Name and Title of Authorized Official

Date

Signature of Authorized Official

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Phone

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Fax

E-mail address

PART I.--GENERAL QUESTIONS

The questions in this questionnaire have been reviewed with market participants to ensure that issues of concern are adequately addressed and that data requests are sufficient, meaningful, and as limited as possible. Public reporting burden for this questionnaire is estimated to average 25 hours per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering the data needed, and completing and reviewing the questionnaire. Send comments regarding the accuracy of this burden estimate or any other aspect of this collection of information, including suggestions for reducing the burden, to the Office of Investigations, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street, SW, Washington, DC 20436.

- I-1. Please report below the actual number of hours required and the cost to your firm of preparing the reply to this questionnaire and completing the form.

_____ hours _____ dollars

- I-2. Provide the name and address of establishment(s) covered by this questionnaire (see page 3 of the instruction booklet for reporting guidelines). If your firm is publicly traded, please specify the stock exchange and trading symbol.

- I-3. Please provide the names and addresses of the **FIVE** largest U.S. importers of your firm's kosher chicken in 2002. Also, identify the importers as distributor, retailer, or consumer.

- I-4. Does your firm or any related firm process, have the capability to process, or have any plans to process kosher chicken in the United States or other countries?

☐ No

☐ Yes--Please name the firm(s) and country(ies) below and, if U.S. producer(s), ensure that they complete the Commission's processor questionnaire (contact Debra Baker (202-205-3180) or for copies of that questionnaire).

PART I.--GENERAL QUESTIONS--Continued

I-5. Does your firm or any related firm import or have any plans to import kosher chicken into the United States?

☐ No

☐ Yes--Please name the firm(s) below and ensure that they complete the Commission's importer questionnaire (contact Debra Baker (202-205-3180) or for copies of that questionnaire).

PART II.--TRADE AND RELATED INFORMATION

II-1. Does your firm have any plans to add, expand, curtail, or shut down processing capacity and/or quantity of kosher chicken in Canada?

☐ No

☐ Yes--Please describe those plans, including planned dates and capacity/processing quantities involved, and the reason(s) for such change(s). If the plans are to add or expand processing capacity or processing quantity, list (in descending order of importance) the markets (countries) to which such additional processing capacity or processing quantity would be directed.

II-2. What percentage of your firm's total sales in its most recent fiscal year was represented by sales of kosher chicken?

_____ Percent

II-3. Does your firm process products other than kosher chicken on the same equipment and machinery used in the processing of kosher chicken?

☐ No

☐ Yes--List the following information.

Basis for allocation of capacity data (e.g., sales): _____

Products processed on same equipment and share of total processing production in 2002 (in percent):

<u>Product</u>	<u>Percent</u>	<u>Product</u>	<u>Percent</u>
Kosher chicken	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

PART II.--TRADE AND RELATED INFORMATION--Continued

II-4. Since January 1, 2000, has your firm processed any non-kosher chicken?

☐ No ☐ Yes--Report quantity processed (in 1,000 pounds).

2000: _____

2001: _____

2002: _____

January-September 2003: _____

II-5. Has your firm maintained any inventories of kosher chicken in the United States (not including inventories held by firms identified in questions I-3, I-4, or I-5 above¹) since 2000?

☐ No ☐ Yes--Report the quantity (in 1,000 pounds) of such **end-of-period** inventories below.

<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>September</u> <u>2002</u>	<u>September</u> <u>2003</u>
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

II-6. If you answered YES to question II-5, please report the shelf life (in number of days) of kosher chicken below:

Fresh kosher chicken: _____

Chilled kosher chicken: _____

Frozen kosher chicken: _____

II-7. Does your firm sell kosher chicken over the internet?

☐ No ☐ Yes--Please describe, noting the estimated percentage of your firm's total sales of kosher chicken in 2002 accounted for by internet sales.

¹ Such firms will report inventories in the Commission's importer or producer questionnaire.

II-8. Is the kosher chicken exported by your firm subject to antidumping findings or remedies in any WTO-member countries?

☐ No

☐ Yes--List the products(s), countries affected, and the date of such findings/remedies.

Product

Country

Date

II-9. Is kosher chicken processed in Canada processed identically to the kosher chicken processed in the United States?

☐ Yes

☐ No--Explain any differences in processing between Canadian kosher chicken and kosher chicken processed in the United States.

II-10. Please explain the basis for your projections in question II-11.

PART II.--TRADE AND RELATED INFORMATION--Continued

II-11. Please report production capacity, production, shipments, and inventories of kosher chicken produced by your firm in Canada during the specified periods.

(Quantity in 1,000 pounds)							
Item	Actual experience					Projections	
	2000	2001	2002	January-September		2003	2004
				2002	2003		
AVERAGE PRODUCTION CAPACITY¹							
BEGINNING-OF-PERIOD INVENTORIES²							
PRODUCTION³							
SHIPMENTS:							
Internal consumption/transfers							
Home market sales							
Exports to--							
United States ⁴							
All other export markets ⁵							
Total exports							
Total shipments							
END-OF-PERIOD INVENTORIES							
<p>¹ The production capacity (see definitions in instruction booklet) reported is based on operating ____ hours per week, ____ weeks per year. Please describe the methodology used to calculate production capacity, and explain any changes in reported capacity (use additional pages as necessary). Please include the pounds per chicken conversion factor used to calculate capacity.</p>							
<p>² <u>Reconciliation of data.</u>--Please note that the quantities reported above should reconcile as follows: beginning-of-period inventories, plus production, less total shipments, equals end-of-period inventories. Do the data reported reconcile?</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No--Please explain: _____</p>							
<p>³ Please estimate the percentage of total production of kosher in Canada accounted for by your firm's production in 2002.</p> <p>_____ Percent</p>							
<p>⁴ Please estimate the percentage of total exports to the United States of kosher chicken from Canada accounted for by your firm's exports in 2002.</p> <p>_____ Percent</p>							
<p>⁵ Identify principal <i>other</i> export markets. _____</p>							

PART II.--TRADE AND RELATED INFORMATION--Continued

II-12. Exports of kosher chicken to the United States, by type.--If you reported exports of kosher chicken to the United States on page 6, report your firm's exports of kosher chicken to the United States by the following types of kosher chicken during 2002. (See definitions in the instruction booklet.) These data should sum to the exports to the United States reported on page 6.

(Quantity in 1,000 pounds, value in \$1,000)	
Item	Calendar year 2002
Kosher whole chicken:	
Quantity	
Value	
Kosher chicken cut-up in pieces:	
Quantity	
Value	
Kosher chicken legs (thighs and drumsticks):	
Quantity	
Value	
Kosher chicken breasts (bone in):	
Quantity	
Value	
Kosher chicken breasts (boneless):	
Quantity	
Value	
Total:	
Quantity	
Value	
<p><u>Reconciliation of data.</u>--Please note that the quantities reported above should equal the total quantity of kosher chicken exported to the United States reported on page 6. Do the data reported reconcile?</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No--Please explain:</p> <p></p> <p></p> <p></p>	

PART II.--TRADE AND RELATED INFORMATION--Continued

- II-13. Exports of kosher chicken to the United States, by type and temperature--If you reported exports of kosher chicken to the United States on page 6, report your firm's exports of kosher chicken to the United States by the following types of kosher chicken, by temperature, during 2002. (See definitions in the instruction booklet.) These data should sum to the exports to the United States reported on page 6.

(Quantity in 1,000 pounds, value in \$1,000)	
Item	Calendar year 2002
Fresh kosher whole chicken or kosher chicken cut up in pieces:	
Quantity	
Value	
Chilled kosher whole chicken or kosher chicken cut up in pieces:	
Quantity	
Value	
Frozen kosher whole chicken or kosher chicken cut up in pieces:	
Quantity	
Value	
Fresh kosher chicken legs (thighs and drumsticks) and breasts (bone in and boneless):	
Quantity	
Value	
Chilled kosher chicken legs (thighs and drumsticks) and breasts (bone in and boneless):	
Quantity	
Value	
Frozen kosher chicken legs (thighs and drumsticks) and breasts (bone in and boneless):	
Quantity	
Value	
Total:	
Quantity	
Value	
<u>Reconciliation of data</u> --Please note that the quantities reported above should equal the total quantity of kosher chicken exported to the United States reported on page 6. Do the data reported reconcile? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No--Please explain: <hr/>	